WASHINGTON, D. C., SUNDAY MORNING, JULY 4, 1915.

Nationals Drop Series to New York-Win and Lose in Double-Header

GET EVEN BREAK WITH NEW YORK

Nationals Take First Game of Double-Header, 8 to 7, But Lose Second, 1 to 4.

SEVERAL PITCHERS USED IN THE OPENING CONTEST

Twirlers of Both Clubs Batted Hard. Errors Are Cause of the Defeat.

BY J. ED GRILLO.

NEW YORK, July 3.-After battling for eleven innings to win the first game the Nationals lost the second before the first inning was over, two runs coming as the result of a hit, a couple of walks and an error by Neff.

The first game was a splendid exhibition, in which the locals tied the score with a home run in the ninth and the visitors won it with a similar drive in the eleventh inning. Griffith used four pitchers in this struggle. Boehling started, but did not last long, and Ayers also was driven from the box. Gallia went a part of the route, but when the Nationals got into the lead Johnson finished. The Yankees used three twirlers. Warhop did not last through the first inning, McHale taking his place, and he was chased for Cottrell.

During the latter part of the second game there were seven misplays behind Johnson, which undoubtedly had much to do with his defeat, though he did not seem to feel at home on the high mound.

There was a crowd of 21,000 paid admissions in attendance.

Takes Eleven Innings To Win First Game

The Nationals won the first game, but it took them eleven innings to do it. me runs cut a figure. Peckinpaugh Home runs cut a figure. Peckinpaugh tied the score with two out in the ninth and McBride won it with a home run in the eleventh. Johnson home run in the eleventh. Johnson pitched the final inning and struck out two of the three batters to face him.

The Yankees fell on Boehling in the

fourth; with one out Pipp popped up a fly to right, which fell in the seats and netted him a home run. Cook walked and, after Hartzell had flied out, Boonand, after Hartzell had flied out, Boone hit a legitimate home run to right field, scoring Cook ahead of him and making the Yankees' total three.

In the first the Griffmen got under way right from the outset, scoring four runs in the opening inning. Moeller started by hitting to right for a base. Foster followed with a double to left, Moeller taking third. Shanks grounded to Maisel, being out at first, Moeller coring. Milan's single scored Foster and Gandil followed with a triple to center; Neff's fly to left sent Gandil home.

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Moeller sacrificed and Foster, Shanks scoring five runs. Another run was and Milan singled. Gandil was hit by scored in the eighth, making a 9-toa pitched ball, sending Foster home. Shanks started to steal home when Neff hit to Brown, Shanks scoring, relieved Cavet and held the visitors milan also tried to score, but was nailed at the plate.

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In the eleventh inning McBride drop—

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First Inning Decides

THESE PLAYERS ARE SHOWING ALMOST COMPLETE REVERSAL OF FORM, THEIR FINE WORK BEING IN CONTRAST TO EFFORTS EARLIER IN SEASON



Tigers Knock Three Out of Box in One Inning.

FIVE RUNS IS NET RESULT

Russell, Cicotte and Scott All Sent to Showers, Detroit Finally Winning, 9-4.

DETROIT, Mich. July 2-In the In the fifth the Griffmen jumped on knocked out three Chicago pitchers | Jack Barry Likely to Work at Boehling opened with a hit, Russell, Cicotte and Scott-thereby

HOLDS CLOSED REGATTA.

Montgomery Sycamore Island Club Has Interesting Contests.

An interesting closed regatta was held yesterday afternoon by the Mont-*Ratted for Brown in fifth.

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*Hardell and George Schladt, who captured first place by only six inches over Miss Louise Darcey and William over Miss Louise Darcey and William tonnings: off Ayers, 2 in 1-3 inning: off McHale in McHale in McHale in the first place by only six inches over Miss Louise Darcey and William Cannoes to cross the line, paddled by Miss Viola Mallet and William Conbey By Brown 1. Umpires Messrs O'Lougailin and Hildebrand. Time of game—2 hours and 33 inlustes.

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FIRST GAME AT BOSTON The Star's electric scoreboard with Boston tomorrow. The aftas usual, and The Star extends again its cordial invitation to the fans of Washington to watch between the Nationals and Red trivance of its kind in the city.

Second for Boston.

Red Sox's Manager Thinks He Has Done Well to Obtain Former Athletics' Star.

BOSTON, July 3 .- It is not Manage Totals . 33 824 12 0 Totals . 35 15 27 13 2 Bill Carrigan's, intention to use Jack Barry, the star shortstop, purchased from Connie Mack yesterday, at short

their decision.

Interest in the tilting contest was great and much sport was provided by the three contests, first place going to Conboye and Schladt, who won out over the other competitors.

The regular four of the club, composed of Capt. Conboye, George in the very first inning. John-(Continued on Second Page.)

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YANKEES TAKE DECISIVE GAME AND GET FIRST-DIVISION BERTH

Loss of Second Half of the Double-Header Throws Griffith's Team Back in Fifth Place-Other Gossip.

By J. ED GRILLO.

NEW YORK, July 3.-With the Nationals unable to get better than an even break in the double-header of today, the team has relinquished its hold on fourth place and is once more holding down fifth position in the race, while the Yankees have quite a comfortable lead in the first division. It was, perhaps, fortunate that the first game was a victory for the Nationals, for after gaining what seemed IS PRAISED BY CARRIGAN a comfortable lead they were not only tied up, but had to go eleven innings before they could win it.

There was little to the second game after the first inning had been played, for in this round the Yankees scored a couple of runs, and they were sufficient to bring victory. Johnson was not at his best. He is always at a disadvantage here because of the high pitching mound, and his support was the worst ever given a pitcher. Douglas Neff went all to pieces and had four errors, most of which were costly, and some of the other members of the Griffmen erred enough to bring the total number of misplays up to seven, in front of which no pitcher could have won.

Six games remain to be played in the east during the three days in Boston. There will be a morning and afternoon game tomorrow, and then there will be a pair of double-headers for Tuesday and Wednesday, before the trip west will be begun.

well at second.

Manager Carrigan said tonight: "Barry will be a very handy man to have around. If anything happens to any of the infield, why, I'il have him ready to shoot right in. I consider Jack a great player and I think we made a tenstrike in securing him from Mack. No, Barry will not be played at short for the present. He may go in at second, alternating with Wagner. You know a second and that the probably will try him out at the keystone sack, alternating with Wagner. You know a probably will try him out at the keystone sack, alternating with Wagner. You know does not anything the present. He may go in at second, and the present. He may go in at second, alternating with Wagner. You know does not have entirely nickly that the kill work the magning ame in Boston remains to be seen, but it is not unlikely that Joe Engle will work the morning game in Boston remains to be seen, but it is not unlikely that Joe Engle will work the morning game in Boston remains to be seen, but it is not unlikely that Joe Engle will work the morning game in Boston remains to be seen, but it is not unlikely that feet will be given in after he got into the first game in Boston remains to be seen, but it is not unlikely that feet with specific proved the had two men into the line, the first game in Boston remains to be seen, but if its not into the lately than a chance.



STANDING, SCHEDULES AND RESULTS IN BIG

BASE BALL LEAGUES

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Chicago	46	23	.667	.671	.657
Boston	37	24	.607	.613	.597
Detroit	41	27	.603	609	.594
New York.	35	32	.523	.529	.515
Nationals	32	30	.516	.524	.588
Cleveland	24	40	.375	.385	.369
St. Louis					
Athletics	23	43	.349	.358	.343

NATIONAL LEAGUE. • W. L. Pet. Win. Less

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YESTERDAY'S RESULTS. AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston, 3; Philadelphia, 7.

Boston, 11; Philadelphia, 0.

Detroit, 9; Chicago, 4.

St. Louis, 3; Cleveland, 1. St. Louis, 1; Cleveland, 5

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago, 6: Pittsburgh, 5. New York, 1; Brooklyn, 2. New York, 4; Brooklyn, 3. Philadelphia, 3; Boston, 5

RAIN STOPS THE PLAY

Causes Harvard Man's Match With George M. Church to Be Held Up Two Hours.

PITTSBURGH, July 3 .- Rain serious y interfered with the plans of the Phila..... 34 28 .549 .556 .540 Pittsburgh Athletic Association in the St. Louis... 36 32 .529 .536 .522 clay court tennis championships today, Pittsburgh 33 30 .524 .531 .516 only two events being completed, the Boston.... 30 35 .462 .470 .455 men's singles and the men's doubles. Brooklyn.. 30 35 .462 .470 .455 Play will be resumed Monday morning. R. N. Williams of Harvard was the winner of the men's singles, defeating Cincinnati. 26 33 .441 .450 .433 George M. Church of Princeton in four sets: 7-5, 6-3, 2-6, 8-6. This match George M. Church of Princeton in four sets: 7-5, 6-3, 2-6, 8-6. This match was stopped in the middle of the fourth set for two hours while the courts were through with the weak talent Mack had filled into the vacant places in his

being dried. In the men's doubles Williams again appeared in the finals, having for his partner W. M. Washburne, and they were defeated by George M. Church and Dean Mathey, 6-3, 6-3. Summaries: Women's singles, third round-Miss Martha Guthric, Pittsburga, won from Mrs. Barger Wailach, Newport, by default; Mss Clare Cassel, New York, defeated Miss Myrile McAteer, Pittsburgh, 7-5, 6-4.
Send-mals-Miss Moila Bjørstedt of New Yorkf defeated Miss Martna Guthrie of Pittsburga, 6-1, 6-6.
Men's doubles, second round-S. J. Adams and W. B. Knox defeated Grant Siverd and C. P. Billings, 7-5, 6-4; R. T. Thompson and P. C. Hodill defeated C. F. Gaut and T. D. Chautter, 6-7, 8-6.

FANS SAID TO BE **DESERTING MACK**

Athletics' Followers Think Great Machine Was Deliberately Torn Asunder.

REFUSED BIG INCREASES IN SALARY TO HIS STARS

Connie Now a Fallen Idol-Will He Come Back by Building Another Great Team?

Special Dispatch to The Star.

PHILADELPHIA, July 3 .-Thousands of fans were astounded today at the wail put forth by Connie Mack, erstwhile idol of fandom, in which he sets forth, through the medium of an afternoon newspaper, the reason why he scattered throughout the country his famous pitching staff and shot to pieces his famous one-hundred-thousand-dollar infield, giving full credit to the Federal League's 42-centimeter guns.

"Why," said one of the 18,000 fans seated in the grandstand at Broad street and Huntingdon avenue, while the Phillies were walloping the world champion Braves, "there's nothing to it; more than that, Mack is getting back to the old days when we faithful ones supported him for years while he built up a team from a bunch of kids. These same kids made it possible to build the magnificent base ball testimonial known as Shibe Park. Yet when salaries began to soar 'Connie' commenced to wabble. Federal League, nothing!"

Lost Much Confidence.

Another dyed-in-the-wool fan, one men in the city, commented as follows: "Now, who ever could possibly accuse Connie Mack of being caught napping There were no signs of slipping till the Braves mauled the confidence out of

to Mack? Why, when the announcement was made that he had turned Plank, Bender and Coombs loose it was a solar plexus, but what has happened since has simply driven thousands of fans away from Shibe Park. This is shown

away from Shibe Park. This is shown by the attendance and it will be years before they will be won back. Every fan loves a winner, but a true sportsman becomes disgusted when a simon pure derby winner is deliberately put out of commission."

The story astounded every base bail fan in Philadelphia—connie Mack a quitter—the man who has been the very personification of nerve and rugged stick-to-litiveness. The idol has fallen, or rather has let himself drop. Sporting writers support the opinion generally held by the public of the disintegration of the Athletic machine—that it was deliberate on the part of Connie Mack to allow it to crumble and mention facts of happenings at Shibe Park to bear out the "indoor talk."

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The start of the break-up came last August when Eddie Collins and Baker demanded more money and Mack flatly refused, with results already chronicled of the Athletic stars going broadcast over the circuit. After Collins went to Chicago the heart was taken out of the old guard and they were fighting a losing battle and became disheartened and were not able to play their usual game. It is related of Herb Pennock, the young pitcher whom Mack released to Boston a short time ago, that Mack called him to account for seeming lack of steam and that he replied: "What's the use, with a team like that

behind me?" The next day he was sold to Boston. Machine.

As said before, Connie Mack seems to be a fallen idol. Will he come back?

FAIL TO WIN A PLACE.

the infield, why, I'll have him ready to these grounds to take any chances the same any chances and the same and the same